

Fire Department

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MEDIA ALERT

REQUEST FOR HONOR GUARD PARTICIPATION

WHAT: Honor Guards are being requested to honor fallen United States Marine

Lance Corporal Jeremiah Collins

WHO: Honor Guards from Fire, Police, and EMS organizations

WHEN: Wednesday October 16, 2013

12:00 pm - 4:00 pm

WHERE: Staging for Honor Guard Corridors:

128th Air Refueling Wing – 1919 E. Grange Ave. (12:00 pm staging ½ block

east on Pennsylvania Ave)

Krause Funeral Home – 9000 W. Capitol Dr. (2:00 pm staging)

Starting point is the front gate of the 128th. All uniformed personnel and vehicles will line up along Pennsylvania Ave. Vehicles please come in from the south to the north so we can face them north on Pennsylvania Ave.

The procession will travel as follows:

East on Layton Avenue to I-794

Northbound I-794 to Lincoln Memorial Drive

Northbound Lincoln Memorial Drive to Lake Drive

Northbound Lake Drive to Capitol Drive

Westbound Capitol Drive to Krause Funeral Home at 9000 W. Capitol Drive

DETAILS:

U.S.Marine Lance Corporal Jeremiah Collins was killed in action in Afghanistan. He is returning home to be laid to rest by his family on Wednesday October 16, 2013. The Milwaukee Police Department and Milwaukee County Sheriffs will assist with the procession from Signature Air to Krause Funeral Home.

The Milwaukee Fire Department Honor Guard is requesting Honor Guards from other Fire, Police, and EMS organizations to assist with honoring Lance Corporal Jeremiah Collins. They will assemble at Signature Air and Krause Funeral Home to establish Honor Guard Corridors. Any Honor Guard willing to be part of a color team should bring their American, State, and Department Flags as well as axes.

In addition to the Honor Guard, anybody that is available to standby along the procession route and show your support for the family of a fallen Marine would be greatly appreciated.

Any inquiries should be directed to the Commander of the Milwaukee Fire Department Honor Guard:

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